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### AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

**Mail Stop: Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed April 12, 2011, Applicants request a two month's extension of time, and entry of this Amendment and Response. Please amend the subject application as provided below and consider the following remarks. Authorization to charge our deposit account is provided at the end of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are provided beginning on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.